

HE DIDN'T CALL IT SUICIDE

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT VEILS DEATH OF NEURASTHENIC.

Nathan F. Strauss Shoots Himself in the Mouth in Hotel St. Hubert—Cerebral Hemorrhage Given as Cause of Death—Section Discovers Wound.

Nathan F. Strauss, a member of the firm of Kaufmann Brothers & Bondy, manufacturers and importers of smokers' articles at 129 Grand street, shot and killed himself yesterday morning in his bedroom in the Hotel St. Hubert at 120 West Fifty-seventh street. Neuraesthesia is given as the motive.

Mr. Strauss was 54 years old and unmarried. He lived with his sister Miss Henrietta Strauss. At 7:45 o'clock yesterday morning Miss Strauss found her dying. He was lying in bed covered as if for sleep and was breathing feebly. Miss Strauss was greatly affected yesterday, and the coroner did not learn from her whether she heard the shot that killed her brother or not.

Miss Strauss telephoned for Dr. Joseph Frankel of 46 East Twenty-fifth street, Mr. Strauss's physician. Mr. Strauss was dead when the physician arrived. The bullet had entered his mouth and taken a course upward, causing a slight discoloration of a piece of the forehead.

Dr. Frankel notified the coroner's office by telephone, saying merely that Mr. Strauss had died suddenly of a cerebral hemorrhage. Well along in the afternoon Charles N. Pollak of 123 East Forty-seventh street, section of Temple Emanuel, of which Mr. Strauss was a member, who had been called in as an undertaker, notified the coroner's office by telephone that Mr. Strauss had died from a bullet wound.

Coroner Feinberg and Coroner's Physician Lehane then went to the Hotel St. Hubert and looked over the body. It was still lying as Miss Strauss had found it, and Coroner Feinberg said he himself found the 38 calibre revolver with one chamber discharged in bed. It had fallen or had been thrown toward the foot of the bed and was lying between Mr. Strauss's legs.

Coroner Feinberg was informed that Dr. Frankel had been treating Mr. Strauss for four years for neuraesthesia and that of late the patient had been growing worse, so that he had been able to go to his office only occasionally. The coroner said that he had learned and had verified the fact that Mr. Strauss's business affairs and those of his firm were in excellent condition and that no theory of a financial reason for the suicide was tenable. The coroner was satisfied that Mr. Strauss, long subject to neuraesthesia, had killed himself while mentally deranged.

Mr. Strauss was born in New York and was a graduate of Columbia University. He was a member of the Columbia University and the Harmonie clubs. He is survived by two sisters, Miss Henrietta Strauss and Mrs. Jerome Foster.



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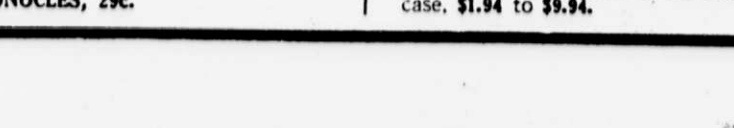
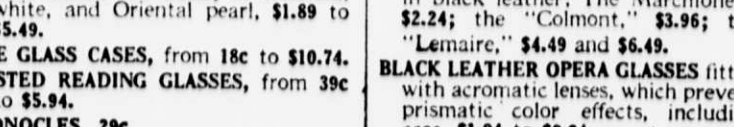
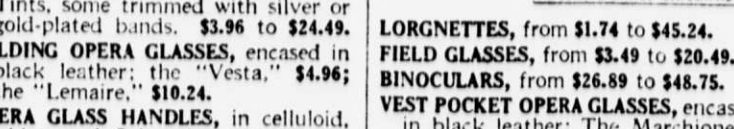
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